

T.A.S.C.O/Rittel's

Dan Rinehart T.A.S.C.O

203 S. Main St

Edgerton, WI 53534

(608) 884-3047

Fax: (608) 884-3832

Website: www.taxidermyarts.com

Instructions for using T.A.S.C.O/Rittel's Saftee-Acid

Catalog #SA-200

T.A.S.C.O/Rittel's Saftee-Acid is one of the safest acids available today! It provides a wide range of acidity, with none of the disadvantages of other acids, such as; sulfuric, formic, acetic, and oxalic. It is practically odorless, with no caustic fumes, non-poisonous, no dilution heat, non-evaporative, and is an excellent choice for pickling as well as adjusting PH levels. We have experimented considerably with this acid, and have found that using it has lived up to all our expectations! Since it is non-hazardous, it is safe to ship anywhere and because of its low dosage it actually saves money!

Pickling Formula

Always weigh your skins. For every 1 lb. of wet drained skin weight, use 2 quarts of water. For every 1 gallon of pickle needed, use:

1 gallon of water

1 lb. of Non-Iodized Salt

0.5 fl. oz. of SA-200

This should give you a PH level at about 1.0 PH. As long as you hold the pickle below a 2.0 (normally it varies between 1.1 – 1.5), you should have no problems. It will remain very stable, but it's wise to check your PH level daily. Leave the skins in the pickle for 3 days until they are thoroughly pickled, then they can be removed, drained, shaven, degreased (if necessary), washed, rinsed, and returned to the pickle for another 12-24 hours before neutralizing the acid and tanning, or leave them in the pickle until you are ready to neutralize and tan. We have safely left them in the pickle for up to 4 weeks with no harm.

Note – 0.5 fl. oz. of SA-200 = 4.5 Teaspoonful's = .95 oz. (by weight) = 50 grams.

T.A.S.C.O/Rittel's offers this instruction's in an advisory capacity and assumes no liability. Such information is the same as used in our own successful experiments, and since we have no control over the environment, or the materials upon which our products or instructions will be used, they cannot guarantee success!

All rights reserved. No part of these instructions may be reproduced in any form or by any means without permission.